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 SECURE TAX METER AND CERTIFIED SERVICE PROVIDED.

: SECURE TAX METER AND CERTIFIED SERVICE PROVIDER CENTER FOR COLLECTING SALES AND/OR USE TAXES ON

SALES THAT ARE MADE VIA THE INTERNET AND/OR

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified patent application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- · Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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